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PETITION FOR AN EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.136

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The undersigned requests an extension of time, by one month, of the period for response in the above-identified application, which period was originally set by the Examiner to expire on 03/18/03. The new due date is 04/18/03.

Please charge the fee of \$110 ..-- for the additional month as required for this request to account No. 500465.

Respectfully submitted,

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